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**DEVICE** 

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## AMENDMENT E

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 6, 2003, please consider the following Remarks.

## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-2 and 4-8 are currently pending. Claims 1-2 and 4-8 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the enablement requirement. Particularly, the Office Action states that the claims "contain subject matter which was not described in the specification in such a way as to enable one skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and/or use the invention." Applicants respectfully traverse this rejection for at least the following reasons.